

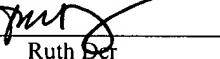
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of) Examiner: Jonathan M. Foreman
Burbank et al.) Group Art Unit: 3736
For: **TISSUE ACQUISITION SYSTEM AND) Customer No.: 061808**
METHOD OF USE)
Serial No.: 09/981,525)
Filed: October 16, 2001)
Atty. Docket No.: SENOP-00401)

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed April 17, 2007 and pursuant to the Request for Continued Examination concurrently filed, please amend the above-referenced application as follows.

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